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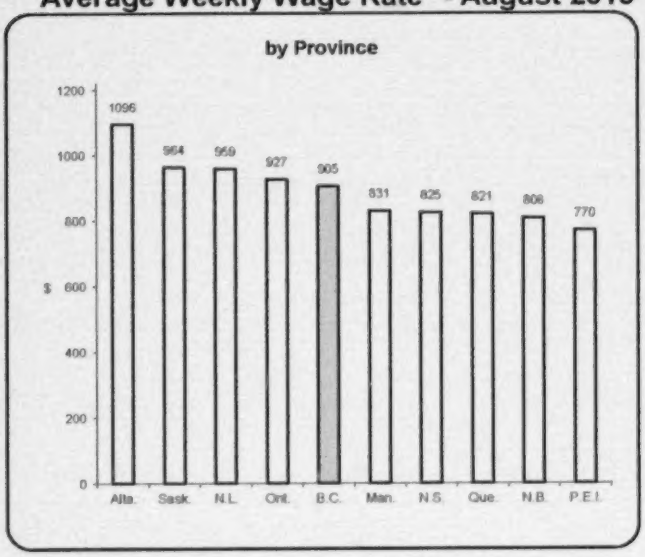
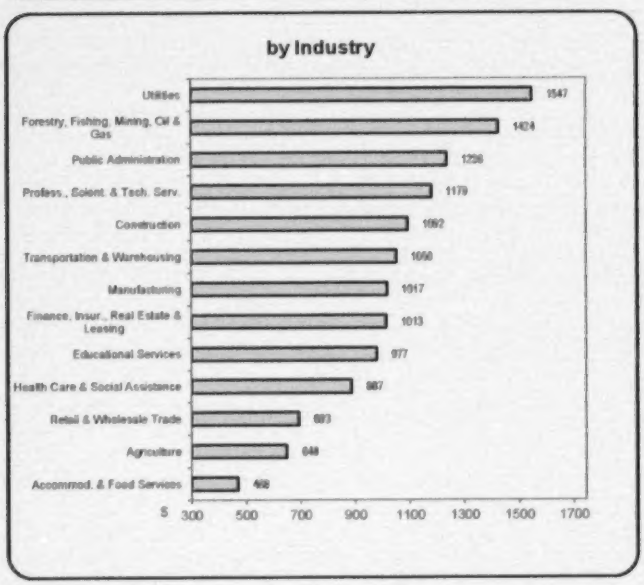
Earnings & Employment Trends ◆ August 2015

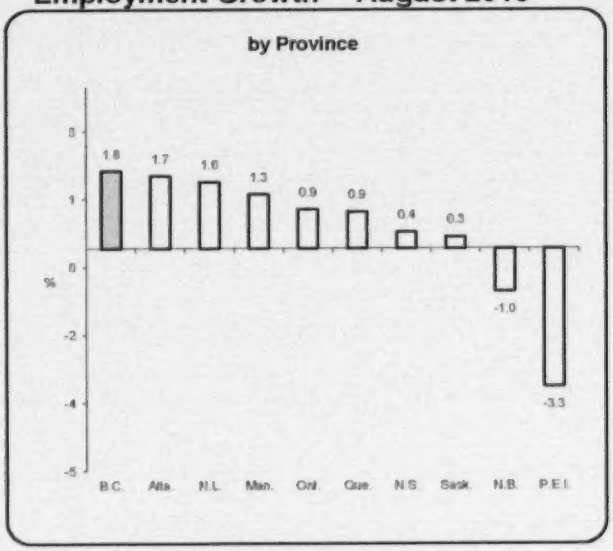
Average Weekly Wage Rate* - August 2015

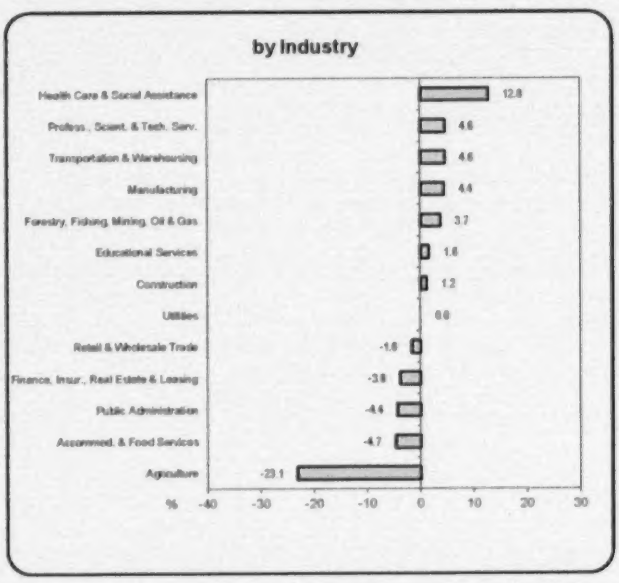




** Latest 12 month average*

Employment Growth* - August 2015





** Month over same month previous year (unadjusted)*

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Source: Statistics Canada Labour Force Survey

1 SUMMARY TRENDS

		Consumer Price Index		Average Weekly Wage Rate				Employment Growth		Unemployment Rate	
				Current Dollars		Constant Dollars		Seasonally Adjusted		Seasonally Adjusted	
		B.C.	Canada	B.C.	Canada	B.C.	Canada	B.C.	Canada	B.C.	Canada
		% Change		% Change		% Change		% Change		(%)	
	2005	2.0	2.2	2.4	3.4	0.4	1.2	3.0	1.3	5.9	6.8
	2006	1.7	2.0	3.1	3.4	1.4	1.4	2.4	1.7	4.8	6.3
	2007	1.8	2.2	3.1	3.2	1.3	1.0	3.0	2.3	4.3	6.0
	2008	2.1	2.3	4.2	4.0	2.1	1.7	1.6	1.4	4.6	6.1
	2009	0.0	0.3	2.7	2.7	2.7	2.4	-2.2	-1.7	7.7	8.3
	2010	1.3	1.8	2.4	1.9	1.1	0.0	1.4	1.4	7.6	8.1
	2011	2.4	2.9	2.2	2.4	-0.2	-0.5	0.2	1.5	7.5	7.5
	2012	1.1	1.5	1.8	3.2	0.7	1.7	1.6	1.3	6.8	7.3
	2013	-0.1	0.9	3.1	2.1	3.2	1.2	0.1	1.5	6.6	7.1
	2014	1.0	2.0	0.3	1.8	-0.7	-0.1	0.6	0.6	6.1	6.9
2014	Jan	0.0	1.5	-0.2	2.2	-0.2	0.7	1.2	0.8	6.4	7.0
	Feb	-0.3	1.1	0.1	2.3	0.3	1.2	0.1	0.6	6.5	7.1
	Mar	0.1	1.5	1.6	2.1	1.6	0.6	1.1	1.0	6.0	7.0
	Apr	1.5	2.0	0.7	1.9	-0.8	-0.1	0.5	0.7	6.1	7.0
	May	1.5	2.3	-0.2	1.0	-1.7	-1.2	0.6	0.4	6.2	7.0
	Jun	1.9	2.4	0.5	1.8	-1.3	-0.6	0.8	0.5	6.1	7.0
	Jul	1.4	2.1	-0.6	2.2	-2.0	0.1	0.5	0.6	6.1	7.0
	Aug	1.4	2.1	0.9	1.9	-0.5	-0.2	-0.3	0.3	6.2	7.0
	Sep	1.2	2.0	0.4	1.9	-0.8	-0.2	0.2	0.5	6.3	6.9
	Oct	1.1	2.4	-1.8	1.2	-2.9	-1.1	0.5	0.8	6.1	6.6
	Nov	1.2	2.0	-0.6	1.2	-1.7	-0.8	1.3	0.7	5.7	6.7
	Dec	0.9	1.5	2.7	2.0	1.7	0.6	0.7	0.7	5.5	6.7
2015	Jan	0.8	1.0	3.2	1.9	2.4	0.9	0.5	0.7	5.6	6.6
	Feb	0.8	1.0	3.4	2.0	2.7	1.0	0.5	0.7	6.0	6.8
	Mar	1.0	1.2	4.2	1.8	3.2	0.6	0.5	0.8	5.8	6.8
	Apr	0.5	0.8	5.4	2.3	4.9	1.5	-0.8	0.8	6.3	6.8
	May	0.8	0.9	4.5	3.2	3.7	2.3	0.6	1.1	6.1	6.8
	Jun	0.8	1.0	4.4	2.9	3.6	1.9	1.0	1.0	5.8	6.8
	Jul	1.0	1.3	3.1	3.6	2.0	2.3	1.3	0.9	6.0	6.8
	Aug	-	-	3.5	3.6	-	-	1.8	1.1	6.0	7.0
	Sep										
	Oct										
	Nov										
	Dec										

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2.1 PROVINCIAL COMPARISON - AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE RATE

	Canada		B.C.		Alberta		Sask.		Manitoba		Ontario		Quebec		N.B.		N.S.		P.E.I.		N.L.	
	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg
2005	703.14		704.05		758.56		642.87		625.93		743.63		656.66		591.20		608.23		561.75		617.83	
2006	727.23	3.4	725.69	3.1	814.77	7.4	676.97	5.3	641.62	2.5	765.72	3.0	670.80	2.2	610.94	3.3	618.82	1.7	583.88	3.9	642.61	4.0
2007	750.75	3.2	748.41	3.1	861.90	5.8	708.31	4.6	674.30	5.1	784.13	2.4	686.29	2.3	639.82	4.7	653.01	5.5	597.72	2.4	674.45	5.0
2008	781.02	4.0	779.76	4.2	903.60	4.8	762.38	7.6	704.28	4.4	813.07	3.7	708.16	3.2	670.41	4.8	673.69	3.2	632.78	5.9	734.60	8.9
2009	801.93	2.7	801.18	2.7	926.56	2.5	798.47	4.7	723.04	2.7	828.35	1.9	734.62	3.7	703.09	4.9	706.01	4.8	654.32	3.4	753.93	2.6
2010	816.83	1.9	820.49	2.4	943.90	1.9	832.00	4.2	742.28	2.7	842.35	1.7	742.93	1.1	719.45	2.3	728.72	3.2	683.81	4.5	791.75	5.0
2011	836.30	2.4	838.19	2.2	969.43	2.7	855.76	2.9	761.25	2.6	862.45	2.4	757.25	1.9	726.26	0.9	739.98	1.5	706.80	3.4	832.70	5.2
2012	863.12	3.2	853.48	1.8	1,021.43	5.4	900.13	5.2	777.40	2.1	883.12	2.4	782.58	3.3	749.42	3.2	765.67	3.5	730.14	3.3	896.32	7.6
2013	881.58	2.1	879.80	3.1	1,060.61	3.8	922.73	2.5	791.41	1.8	895.56	1.4	793.95	1.5	777.30	3.7	781.16	2.0	731.78	0.2	924.44	3.1
2014	897.52	1.8	882.22	0.3	1,081.81	2.0	949.51	2.9	813.59	2.8	907.17	1.3	814.39	2.6	781.52	0.5	811.76	3.9	758.85	3.7	966.33	4.5
2014 Jan	890.39	2.2	878.42	-0.2	1,074.67	1.3	923.30	0.9	795.91	2.4	902.10	3.0	807.35	2.5	773.68	2.6	780.83	1.6	750.00	3.5	970.82	7.2
Feb	890.32	2.3	874.58	0.1	1,073.12	1.5	925.98	0.5	803.40	2.9	897.55	2.5	812.08	2.9	761.89	1.4	801.65	4.9	797.43	11.1	984.78	7.9
Mar	894.24	2.1	879.27	1.6	1,067.70	-0.3	947.16	5.0	806.20	4.2	904.74	2.0	816.85	3.1	756.04	-1.4	814.68	4.7	763.67	4.6	961.36	6.4
Apr	896.28	1.9	880.39	0.7	1,085.51	2.6	942.89	4.8	811.43	4.6	903.63	0.8	818.61	3.4	769.49	0.0	801.68	0.9	752.64	2.3	953.98	2.7
May	889.56	1.0	873.64	-0.2	1,072.84	1.2	941.92	3.7	806.34	2.5	899.02	-0.3	808.94	2.9	770.39	2.3	797.84	2.2	752.20	2.6	942.16	1.1
Jun	895.71	1.8	871.89	0.5	1,078.27	1.6	960.62	5.3	813.77	2.9	906.51	0.8	819.13	3.5	771.11	-0.1	808.21	2.7	749.57	1.7	931.10	1.6
Jul	896.95	2.2	878.02	-0.6	1,093.09	4.3	961.61	4.7	814.58	1.4	902.94	0.9	817.63	4.2	774.12	-1.1	806.16	4.1	749.99	3.7	946.88	2.3
Aug	901.29	1.9	891.76	0.9	1,092.75	3.7	970.99	4.3	819.11	1.1	904.53	0.9	821.03	2.8	782.52	-2.6	818.72	4.0	747.65	4.7	973.47	4.4
Sep	906.64	1.9	890.72	0.4	1,094.40	1.8	968.20	1.4	824.57	1.8	919.25	1.4	814.25	2.7	808.30	1.7	820.22	5.1	753.55	1.0	984.83	5.5
Oct	901.00	1.2	875.23	-1.8	1,032.66	2.9	960.21	1.7	823.66	3.2	911.33	0.5	811.93	1.6	808.91	1.0	828.42	5.6	760.39	3.3	986.73	6.6
Nov	901.77	1.2	891.14	-0.6	1,072.55	1.6	948.72	0.6	820.42	3.2	916.56	1.3	811.79	0.5	801.30	0.9	830.63	5.6	762.81	1.9	971.53	3.3
Dec	905.64	2.0	901.43	2.7	1,083.54	1.6	940.92	2.1	822.55	3.3	917.74	1.9	812.63	0.9	799.83	2.6	830.35	5.5	771.33	4.8	990.38	5.9
2015 Jan	907.43	1.9	906.29	3.2	1,092.80	1.7	960.98	4.1	829.93	4.3	914.45	1.4	814.88	0.9	809.68	4.7	828.21	6.1	766.73	2.2	949.29	-2.2
Feb	908.32	2.0	904.73	3.4	1,091.01	1.7	960.16	3.7	824.54	2.6	920.39	2.5	813.03	0.1	806.97	5.9	833.97	4.0	779.60	-2.2	935.27	-5.0
Mar	910.45	1.8	916.38	4.2	1,081.91	1.3	972.64	2.7	824.28	2.2	925.42	2.3	812.61	-0.5	802.22	6.1	809.53	-0.6	791.42	3.6	954.82	-0.7
Apr	917.19	2.3	928.11	5.4	1,092.28	0.6	975.40	3.4	834.10	2.8	928.09	2.7	822.33	0.5	822.04	6.8	821.69	2.5	786.24	4.5	945.57	-0.9
May	917.88	3.2	913.11	4.5	1,114.33	3.9	976.10	3.6	832.01	3.2	929.92	3.4	819.79	1.3	809.02	5.0	824.80	3.4	782.52	4.0	945.10	0.3
Jun	921.80	2.9	909.87	4.4	1,104.54	2.4	961.69	0.1	830.52	2.1	940.34	3.7	829.11	1.2	809.64	5.0	821.86	1.7	766.67	2.3	951.22	2.2
Jul	928.95	3.6	904.81	3.1	1,110.80	1.6	973.43	1.2	844.67	3.7	949.45	5.2	840.02	2.7	818.18	5.7	827.30	2.6	764.74	2.0	949.94	0.3
Aug	933.58	3.6	923.00	3.5	1,122.38	2.7	970.26	-0.1	854.93	4.4	947.50	4.8	847.41	3.2	805.06	2.9	822.51	0.5	759.76	1.6	947.77	-2.6
Sep																						
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Dec																						
Average:																						
Jan-Aug14	894.34		878.50		1,079.74		946.81		808.84		902.63		815.20		769.91		803.72		757.89		958.07	
Jan-Aug15	918.20		913.29		1,101.26		968.83		834.37		931.95		824.90		810.35		823.73		774.71		947.37	
% Change	2.7		4.0		2.0		2.3		3.2		3.2		1.2		5.3		2.5		2.2		-1.1	

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	Canada		B.C.		Alberta		Sask.		Manitoba		Ontario		Quebec		N.B.		N.S.		P.E.I.		N.L.	
	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg
2005	19.09		19.36		19.79		17.29		17.20		20.03		18.43		15.64		16.26		15.17		16.15	
2006	19.71	3.2	19.92	2.9	21.13	6.8	18.14	4.9	17.57	2.2	20.62	2.9	18.84	2.2	16.23	3.8	16.66	2.5	15.55	2.5	16.60	2.8
2007	20.40	3.5	20.52	3.0	22.44	6.2	19.01	4.8	18.44	5.0	21.23	3.0	19.32	2.5	16.97	4.6	17.53	5.2	16.03	3.1	17.45	5.1
2008	21.27	4.3	21.45	4.5	23.65	5.4	20.33	6.9	19.25	4.4	22.09	4.1	19.96	3.3	17.77	4.7	18.12	3.4	16.98	5.9	18.78	7.6
2009	21.99	3.4	22.22	3.6	24.58	3.9	21.51	5.8	19.85	3.1	22.66	2.6	20.74	3.9	18.70	5.2	18.98	4.7	17.73	4.4	19.49	3.8
2010	22.44	2.0	22.73	2.3	24.99	1.7	22.34	3.9	20.46	3.1	23.09	1.9	21.07	1.6	19.07	2.0	19.79	4.3	18.57	4.7	20.57	5.5
2011	22.88	2.0	23.18	2.0	25.46	1.9	22.95	2.7	20.96	2.4	23.55	2.0	21.39	1.5	19.35	1.5	20.00	1.1	19.13	3.0	21.63	5.2
2012	23.55	2.9	23.55	1.6	26.68	4.8	23.93	4.3	21.33	1.8	24.09	2.3	22.06	3.1	19.91	2.9	20.76	3.8	19.72	3.1	23.08	6.7
2013	24.07	2.2	24.14	2.5	27.68	3.7	24.62	2.9	21.72	1.8	24.48	1.6	22.44	1.7	20.63	3.6	21.19	2.1	19.89	0.9	23.89	3.5
2014	24.51	1.8	24.28	0.6	28.12	1.6	25.32	2.8	22.32	2.8	24.82	1.4	23.06	2.8	20.82	0.9	21.94	3.5	20.33	2.2	24.73	3.5
2014 Jan	24.48	2.2	24.34	0.2	28.14	1.7	24.92	0.9	22.06	2.6	24.77	2.4	23.03	2.8	20.82	2.1	21.74	2.7	20.66	2.1	25.36	7.0
Feb	24.51	2.2	24.33	0.5	28.07	1.6	24.98	1.1	22.21	3.0	24.75	2.0	23.17	3.2	20.52	1.1	22.07	5.1	21.51	7.4	25.24	6.3
Mar	24.55	2.0	24.43	1.8	27.83	0.2	25.43	4.9	22.25	3.3	24.84	1.4	23.25	3.3	20.56	-0.2	22.12	4.6	20.89	3.6	25.00	5.5
Apr	24.60	1.9	24.43	0.7	28.20	2.1	25.51	5.1	22.42	3.8	24.91	1.1	23.15	2.7	20.75	0.8	21.95	2.9	20.46	1.4	24.67	2.7
May	24.31	1.3	24.16	-0.2	27.86	1.4	25.20	3.7	22.16	2.8	24.59	0.3	22.94	3.0	20.47	1.6	21.63	3.2	20.06	2.1	24.31	3.0
Jun	24.32	1.6	23.94	0.6	28.07	1.3	25.43	4.6	22.21	3.0	24.65	0.8	22.94	3.1	20.36	0.1	21.67	2.5	19.76	1.0	23.96	1.6
Jul	24.18	2.3	23.96	0.4	28.02	3.1	25.21	4.1	22.17	2.3	24.45	1.2	22.73	4.4	20.37	0.2	21.32	2.7	19.83	3.4	23.84	2.4
Aug	24.29	2.1	24.24	1.5	28.14	2.9	25.24	3.3	22.18	2.1	24.49	1.3	22.84	3.3	20.64	-0.8	21.71	3.2	19.52	3.1	24.35	3.2
Sep	24.71	2.0	24.32	1.1	28.31	1.1	25.57	1.5	22.47	1.1	25.15	1.9	23.14	3.2	21.32	1.4	22.01	3.1	20.13	-0.6	24.98	3.4
Oct	24.62	1.2	24.14	-0.7	28.36	1.2	25.47	0.8	22.50	2.6	24.92	0.8	23.20	2.3	21.36	1.2	22.27	4.5	20.15	0.5	24.73	2.2
Nov	24.70	1.2	24.38	-0.4	28.00	0.8	25.53	1.9	22.55	2.6	25.13	1.4	23.18	1.1	21.32	1.3	22.39	4.4	20.42	-0.3	25.10	3.0
Dec	24.84	1.8	24.71	1.4	28.39	1.4	25.30	2.2	22.63	3.5	25.22	2.0	23.20	0.8	21.41	2.9	22.45	4.0	20.96	4.1	25.36	2.6
2015 Jan	24.96	2.0	24.91	2.3	28.55	1.5	25.88	3.9	22.76	3.2	25.21	1.8	23.41	1.7	21.68	4.1	22.42	3.1	21.19	2.6	24.80	-2.2
Feb	24.96	1.8	24.79	1.9	28.71	2.3	25.76	3.1	22.68	2.1	25.24	2.0	23.39	0.9	21.44	4.5	22.70	2.9	21.47	-0.2	24.66	-2.3
Mar	25.03	2.0	25.01	2.4	28.63	2.9	26.03	2.4	22.71	2.1	25.41	2.3	23.34	0.4	21.55	4.8	22.08	-0.2	21.55	3.2	24.65	-1.4
Apr	25.17	2.3	25.32	3.6	28.97	2.7	26.19	2.7	22.98	2.5	25.43	2.1	23.47	1.4	22.00	6.0	22.29	1.5	21.52	5.2	24.45	-0.9
May	25.07	3.1	25.04	3.6	29.24	5.0	26.07	3.5	22.83	3.0	25.36	3.1	23.33	1.7	21.45	4.8	22.12	2.3	20.82	3.8	24.17	-0.6
Jun	25.05	3.0	24.83	3.7	28.91	3.0	25.68	1.0	22.84	2.8	25.57	3.7	23.31	1.6	21.33	4.8	21.86	0.9	20.23	2.4	24.11	0.6
Jul	25.01	3.4	24.50	2.3	29.05	3.7	25.59	1.5	22.81	2.9	25.54	4.5	23.34	2.7	21.25	4.3	21.86	2.5	20.13	1.5	23.68	-0.7
Aug	25.11	3.4	24.85	2.5	29.16	3.6	25.75	2.0	23.13	4.3	25.50	4.1	23.54	3.1	21.04	1.9	21.74	0.1	19.92	2.0	23.65	-2.9
Sep																						
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Average:																						
Jan-Aug14	24.41		24.23		28.04		25.24		22.21		24.68		23.01		20.56		21.78		20.34		24.59	
Jan-Aug15	25.05		24.91		28.90		25.87		22.84		25.41		23.39		21.47		22.13		20.85		24.27	
% Change	2.6		2.8		3.1		2.5		2.9		2.9		1.7		4.4		1.6		2.5		-1.3	

Monthly percent changes are calculated as month over same month previous year

Prepared by: BC Stats

Source: Statistics Canada Labour Force Survey

2.3 PROVINCIAL COMPARISON - EMPLOYMENT (Actual)

	Canada		B.C.		Alberta		Sask.		Manitoba		Ontario		Quebec		N.B.		N.S.		P.E.I.		N.L.	
	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg
2005	16,123.5		2,089.7		1,820.4		481.8		576.5		6,381.0		3,705.5		346.5		442.1		67.7		212.3	
2006	16,396.0	1.7	2,140.8	2.4	1,911.6	5.0	491.0	1.9	583.2	1.2	6,452.3	1.1	3,743.1	1.0	350.4	1.1	441.1	-0.2	68.0	0.4	214.4	1.0
2007	16,769.3	2.3	2,206.0	3.0	1,991.0	4.2	504.9	2.8	592.5	1.6	6,545.5	1.4	3,839.2	2.6	357.6	2.1	447.3	1.4	68.4	0.6	217.0	1.2
2008	17,010.2	1.4	2,241.9	1.6	2,053.9	3.2	517.5	2.5	601.6	1.5	6,610.3	1.0	3,882.7	1.1	360.7	0.9	451.7	1.0	69.0	0.9	221.1	1.9
2009	16,727.6	-1.7	2,191.9	-2.2	2,029.7	-1.2	525.8	1.6	600.5	-0.2	6,432.7	-2.7	3,854.2	-0.7	360.0	-0.2	449.5	-0.5	68.1	-1.3	215.1	-2.7
2010	16,964.3	1.4	2,223.0	1.4	2,023.7	-0.3	531.0	1.0	609.0	1.4	6,537.8	1.6	3,937.9	2.2	358.1	-0.5	451.3	0.4	69.7	2.3	222.8	3.6
2011	17,221.0	1.5	2,227.8	0.2	2,099.5	3.7	535.8	0.9	611.7	0.4	6,658.4	1.8	3,975.6	1.0	355.5	-0.7	453.0	0.4	71.9	3.2	231.9	4.1
2012	17,438.0	1.3	2,262.5	1.6	2,172.5	3.5	548.4	2.4	621.6	1.6	6,702.6	0.7	4,005.9	0.8	353.1	-0.7	457.6	1.0	73.0	1.5	240.8	3.8
2013	17,691.1	1.5	2,265.6	0.1	2,226.2	2.5	565.3	3.1	625.8	0.7	6,823.4	1.8	4,060.8	1.4	354.5	0.4	452.6	-1.1	74.1	1.5	242.7	0.8
2014	17,802.2	0.6	2,278.4	0.6	2,274.6	2.2	570.9	1.0	626.5	0.1	6,877.9	0.8	4,059.7	0.0	353.9	-0.2	447.6	-1.1	74.0	-0.1	238.6	-1.7
2014 Jan	17,408.8	0.8	2,240.8	1.3	2,217.4	1.8	559.4	1.1	617.3	-1.1	6,728.9	1.0	3,975.2	0.2	340.1	0.9	431.8	-1.3	69.5	-0.6	228.4	-1.6
Feb	17,466.4	0.7	2,245.9	0.1	2,240.8	2.9	557.9	0.5	615.8	-0.9	6,764.8	1.1	3,959.2	-0.4	344.8	0.9	434.7	-1.5	70.0	-1.7	232.4	-1.2
Mar	17,491.4	1.0	2,262.5	1.3	2,229.4	2.7	558.2	-0.1	612.5	-1.7	6,760.4	1.3	3,988.7	0.6	346.8	2.0	431.1	-2.2	69.8	-1.8	231.9	-1.4
Apr	17,577.4	0.6	2,264.0	0.5	2,233.1	2.4	561.8	0.6	615.0	-0.3	6,829.8	1.2	3,991.2	-0.5	343.1	-0.1	438.5	-2.1	69.6	-2.9	231.3	-1.8
May	17,924.4	0.3	2,291.4	0.5	2,289.5	1.9	577.9	1.5	627.4	-0.6	6,937.7	0.7	4,075.3	-0.6	357.9	-1.1	451.6	-2.2	76.1	-0.8	239.6	-2.8
Jun	18,141.9	0.6	2,306.8	0.5	2,317.0	3.0	581.6	0.7	636.2	-0.8	6,971.2	0.3	4,168.2	0.4	371.1	1.5	460.8	-1.6	80.6	3.1	248.5	-1.9
Jul	18,077.4	0.6	2,298.0	0.5	2,306.3	2.1	577.4	0.5	630.7	-0.1	6,964.5	0.8	4,146.5	0.4	363.9	-1.2	459.0	-1.8	78.9	0.6	252.2	-1.2
Aug	18,037.8	0.3	2,295.6	-0.3	2,285.6	0.6	577.1	0.1	630.3	0.3	6,973.5	0.5	4,122.8	0.6	367.0	-0.2	459.1	-1.4	79.8	0.6	246.9	-1.8
Sep	17,915.1	0.5	2,290.5	0.2	2,293.4	1.7	578.0	2.3	630.0	0.5	6,894.2	0.4	4,095.4	0.3	361.4	-0.7	453.6	-1.3	76.1	0.5	242.3	-1.5
Oct	17,948.6	0.8	2,284.4	0.5	2,293.8	2.4	579.4	2.2	637.0	1.8	6,942.1	1.2	4,087.6	-0.5	354.5	-1.1	455.1	0.5	75.5	0.5	239.1	-2.2
Nov	17,871.2	0.7	2,281.3	1.2	2,295.7	2.1	570.6	1.4	632.9	1.9	6,906.5	0.6	4,075.6	-0.4	350.3	-1.3	448.6	0.8	72.3	1.0	237.4	-0.4
Dec	17,765.9	0.6	2,280.0	0.7	2,293.1	2.7	571.8	1.3	632.3	2.3	6,861.1	0.6	4,031.1	-0.3	345.6	-1.7	447.5	0.8	70.3	-0.4	233.2	-2.3
2015 Jan	17,540.0	0.8	2,253.6	0.6	2,286.1	3.1	558.2	-0.2	627.2	1.6	6,767.7	0.6	3,976.9	0.0	339.9	-0.1	435.6	0.9	69.4	-0.1	225.3	-1.4
Feb	17,582.0	0.7	2,247.1	0.1	2,276.4	1.6	558.0	0.0	628.0	2.0	6,802.0	0.5	4,003.6	1.1	339.1	-1.7	433.9	-0.2	69.8	-0.3	224.1	-3.6
Mar	17,574.0	0.5	2,254.9	-0.3	2,261.6	1.4	564.6	1.1	632.5	3.3	6,781.2	0.3	4,012.0	0.6	341.3	-1.6	431.7	0.1	68.9	-1.3	225.4	-2.8
Apr	17,697.9	0.7	2,243.1	-0.9	2,284.6	2.3	569.5	1.4	632.6	2.9	6,833.6	0.1	4,058.0	1.7	343.7	0.2	434.1	-1.0	69.4	-0.3	229.3	-0.9
May	18,110.5	1.0	2,303.4	0.5	2,324.3	1.5	582.7	0.8	640.1	2.0	6,998.0	0.9	4,141.1	1.6	356.4	-0.4	453.1	0.3	74.3	-2.4	237.1	-1.0
Jun	18,314.6	1.0	2,336.9	1.3	2,338.3	0.9	589.1	1.3	646.1	1.6	7,065.8	1.4	4,185.3	0.4	364.0	-1.9	460.9	0.0	79.2	-1.7	249.1	0.2
Jul	18,240.3	0.9	2,329.7	1.4	2,325.8	0.8	575.3	-0.4	636.1	0.9	7,033.1	1.0	4,188.2	1.0	359.4	-1.2	463.7	1.0	76.9	-2.5	251.9	-0.1
Aug	18,228.8	1.1	2,337.7	1.8	2,324.9	1.7	578.7	0.3	638.4	1.3	7,038.2	0.9	4,158.7	0.9	363.3	-1.0	460.9	0.4	77.2	-3.3	250.8	1.6
Sep																						
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Nov																						
Dec																						
Average:																						
Jan-Aug14	17,765.7		2,275.6		2,264.9		568.9		623.2		6,866.4		4,053.4		354.3		445.8		74.3		238.9	
Jan-Aug15	17,911.0		2,288.3		2,302.8		572.0		635.1		6,915.0		4,090.5		350.9		446.7		73.1		236.6	
% Change	0.8		0.6		1.7		0.5		1.9		0.7		0.9		-1.0		0.2		-1.5		-1.0	

Monthly percent changes are calculated as month over same month previous year

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Source: Statistics Canada Labour Force Survey

2.4 PROVINCIAL COMPARISON - AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS WORKED*

	Canada		B.C.		Alberta		Sask.		Manitoba		Ontario		Quebec		N.B.		N.S.		P.E.I.		N.L.	
	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg
2005	33.5		32.6		35.5		34.4		33.4		33.7		32.5		34.1		33.0		33.8		34.1	
2006	33.2	-0.9	32.5	-0.3	35.4	-0.3	34.4	0.0	33.3	-0.3	33.4	-0.9	32.0	-1.5	34.2	0.3	32.9	-0.3	34.5	2.1	34.5	1.2
2007	33.3	0.3	32.9	1.2	35.7	0.8	34.8	1.2	33.7	1.2	33.5	0.3	31.5	-1.6	34.1	-0.3	33.3	1.2	33.8	-2.0	34.7	0.6
2008	33.0	-0.9	32.4	-1.5	35.0	-2.0	34.5	-0.9	33.3	-1.2	33.1	-1.2	31.9	1.3	33.8	-0.9	32.8	-1.5	33.5	-0.9	34.4	-0.9
2009	32.2	-2.4	31.3	-3.4	33.5	-4.3	33.1	-4.1	32.8	-1.5	32.4	-2.1	31.2	-2.2	33.5	-0.9	32.6	-0.6	33.1	-1.2	33.5	-2.6
2010	32.6	1.2	31.8	1.6	34.2	2.1	33.6	1.5	32.6	-0.6	32.7	0.9	31.7	1.6	34.0	1.5	32.9	0.9	32.6	-1.5	33.8	0.9
2011	32.8	0.6	31.6	-0.6	34.8	1.8	34.1	1.5	32.8	0.6	32.9	0.6	31.7	0.0	33.4	-1.8	32.6	-0.9	33.3	2.1	34.4	1.8
2012	33.0	0.6	32.1	1.6	35.2	1.1	34.8	2.1	33.1	0.9	33.0	0.3	31.7	0.0	34.2	2.4	32.8	0.6	33.6	0.9	34.8	1.2
2013	32.8	-0.6	31.9	-0.6	35.1	-0.3	34.6	-0.6	32.8	-0.9	32.8	-0.6	31.5	-0.6	33.6	-1.8	32.3	-1.5	33.3	-0.9	34.2	-1.7
2014	32.3	-1.5	31.3	-1.9	34.6	-1.4	33.8	-2.3	32.6	-0.6	32.4	-1.2	31.0	-1.6	33.1	-1.5	32.4	0.3	33.7	1.2	34.2	0.0
2014 Jan	33.2	-0.3	32.1	-1.8	35.6	-0.8	33.5	-2.6	33.3	2.1	33.6	0.6	31.6	-0.6	33.9	-0.9	33.4	2.1	33.8	4.3	35.3	2.6
Feb	32.9	0.0	31.4	-0.3	35.3	-0.8	33.8	-0.6	33.1	2.2	33.3	1.5	31.6	-1.9	33.5	-0.6	33.1	1.2	33.2	5.4	35.4	2.3
Mar	32.2	-0.3	32.4	0.0	36.2	0.0	34.2	-0.9	33.5	1.8	30.7	-0.6	31.8	-0.6	33.0	-2.4	30.9	2.3	32.2	-0.9	34.6	0.9
Apr	29.5	-12.5	29.0	-11.6	31.2	-13.6	30.2	-12.0	29.7	-10.0	29.2	-14.4	29.3	-9.0	30.1	-13.0	29.2	-12.3	29.4	-12.2	31.0	-11.9
May	33.8	-0.3	32.3	-0.3	35.5	-1.4	36.2	-2.2	34.3	-1.2	34.0	0.3	32.9	0.6	35.5	0.6	34.0	-0.3	36.6	2.8	35.5	-1.7
Jun	33.9	-0.6	32.4	-4.1	35.7	-1.1	34.9	-3.6	34.1	-0.6	34.1	-0.3	32.6	0.0	35.4	-0.3	35.1	4.2	36.8	-1.3	35.8	-0.8
Jul	31.7	0.0	31.4	-1.3	34.2	-1.4	33.4	0.0	31.9	-1.2	32.0	0.9	29.3	-1.0	32.6	-0.3	32.1	0.6	34.0	3.0	32.7	-0.6
Aug	30.9	-1.0	30.7	-1.0	33.7	0.0	33.3	-2.1	31.2	-1.6	31.2	0.0	28.4	-2.4	31.5	-1.6	30.8	0.3	33.3	4.1	33.0	4.4
Sep	34.1	-0.3	32.3	-2.1	36.8	1.4	37.4	-0.3	34.9	0.6	34.2	-0.6	32.5	-0.9	35.4	1.7	34.3	2.7	36.0	2.0	35.9	2.3
Oct	30.1	0.0	29.6	1.0	32.7	0.3	32.8	0.6	30.9	0.7	29.8	-0.7	28.4	-0.7	31.9	1.3	30.6	1.3	32.6	5.2	33.0	3.1
Nov	31.7	-1.2	29.4	-1.0	32.1	-2.1	30.9	-3.1	29.9	-1.3	32.9	-0.9	31.5	-0.9	30.3	-0.7	30.0	-0.3	30.7	1.0	31.4	-3.7
Dec	33.7	-0.3	33.2	0.9	35.9	0.6	34.9	0.3	33.8	0.0	33.7	-0.6	32.4	-0.6	34.0	-2.9	35.0	2.9	34.5	0.9	36.3	2.5
2015 Jan	33.0	-0.6	32.5	1.2	35.4	-0.6	33.6	0.3	33.0	-0.9	33.0	-1.8	31.8	0.6	34.0	0.3	32.9	-1.5	33.3	-1.5	34.1	-3.4
Feb	31.7	-3.6	32.7	4.1	33.1	-6.2	29.8	-11.8	31.4	-5.1	31.2	-6.3	31.4	-0.6	33.3	-0.6	30.6	-7.6	27.0	-18.7	33.6	-5.1
Mar	31.7	-1.6	31.1	-4.0	34.9	-3.6	34.3	0.3	33.5	0.0	30.7	0.0	31.7	-0.3	32.9	-0.3	27.6	-10.7	25.5	-20.8	32.9	-4.9
Apr	33.5	13.6	33.4	15.2	34.3	9.9	35.0	15.9	33.8	13.8	33.9	16.1	32.2	9.9	34.3	14.0	33.2	13.7	33.4	13.6	34.7	11.9
May	33.9	0.3	32.9	1.9	35.0	-1.4	36.5	0.8	34.1	-0.6	34.1	0.3	32.8	-0.3	34.6	-2.5	34.6	1.8	35.4	-3.3	35.7	0.6
Jun	34.3	1.2	33.6	3.7	35.4	-0.8	35.2	0.9	34.2	0.3	34.6	1.5	33.2	1.8	35.2	-0.6	34.9	-0.6	36.6	-0.5	36.1	0.8
Jul	31.8	0.3	31.9	1.6	33.5	-2.0	32.1	-3.9	31.9	0.0	32.1	0.3	29.8	1.7	33.1	1.5	32.5	1.2	33.8	-0.6	34.5	5.5
Aug	31.2	1.0	31.5	2.6	32.3	-4.2	32.0	-3.9	31.9	2.2	31.9	2.2	28.7	1.1	32.6	3.5	31.5	2.3	32.6	-2.1	33.5	1.5
Sep																						
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Average:																						
Jan-Aug14	32.3		31.5		34.7		33.7		32.6		32.3		30.9		33.2		32.3		33.7		34.2	
Jan-Aug15	32.6		32.5		34.2		33.6		33.0		32.7		31.5		33.8		32.2		32.2		34.4	
% Change	1.2		3.1		-1.3		-0.4		1.0		1.3		1.7		1.7		-0.3		-4.3		0.7	

* Average Actual Hours, All Workers, Main Job / Monthly percent changes are calculated as month over same month previous year

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3.1 B.C. SECTOR COMPARISON - EARNINGS AND EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

		Average Weekly Wage rate				Average Hourly Wage Rate				Employment (Actual)				Average Weekly Hours Worked*			
		Goods Industries		Service Industries		Goods Industries		Service Industries		Goods Industries		Service Industries		Goods Industries		Service Industries	
		$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg
	2005	808.03		677.81		20.21		19.14		445.1		1,644.6		36.7		31.5	
	2006	836.46	3.5	697.82	3.0	20.88	3.3	19.68	2.8	452.7	1.7	1,688.1	2.6	36.5	-0.5	31.5	0.0
	2007	882.16	5.5	713.57	2.3	21.94	5.1	20.15	2.4	480.6	6.2	1,725.4	2.2	37.0	1.4	31.7	0.6
	2008	916.16	3.9	744.57	4.3	22.95	4.6	21.06	4.5	486.1	1.1	1,755.8	1.8	36.3	-1.9	31.3	-1.3
	2009	958.67	4.6	765.43	2.8	24.15	5.2	21.78	3.4	441.4	-9.2	1,750.6	-0.3	35.2	-3.0	30.4	-2.9
	2010	994.53	3.7	781.67	2.1	24.89	3.1	22.25	2.2	436.6	-1.1	1,786.5	2.1	36.8	4.5	30.5	0.3
	2011	1,008.20	1.4	800.05	2.4	25.16	1.1	22.74	2.2	431.7	-1.1	1,796.1	0.5	36.3	-1.4	30.5	0.0
	2012	1,031.72	2.3	812.20	1.5	25.77	2.4	23.03	1.3	441.4	2.2	1,821.0	1.4	36.6	0.8	31.0	1.6
	2013	1,061.92	2.9	837.51	3.1	26.24	1.8	23.66	2.7	442.1	0.2	1,823.5	0.1	36.3	-0.8	30.9	-0.3
	2014	1,090.20	2.7	833.60	-0.5	26.88	2.4	23.68	0.1	449.9	1.8	1,828.5	0.3	36.5	0.6	30.1	-2.6
2014	Jan	1,105.25	1.5	826.09	-0.9	27.37	1.6	23.65	-0.3	435.9	3.2	1,804.9	0.8	36.6	0.5	31.1	-2.2
	Feb	1,093.46	3.2	823.97	-1.1	27.19	3.0	23.67	-0.3	437.2	2.5	1,808.8	-0.5	34.4	-1.4	30.7	-0.3
	Mar	1,118.48	7.7	824.76	-0.3	27.45	5.9	23.74	0.6	443.5	4.8	1,819.0	0.4	36.9	2.5	31.3	-0.9
	Apr	1,111.49	8.2	828.30	-1.5	27.43	6.3	23.75	-0.7	438.4	3.6	1,825.5	-0.2	32.8	-10.9	28.0	-12.2
	May	1,084.60	5.1	824.03	-1.8	26.71	4.4	23.56	-1.3	458.2	4.9	1,833.2	-0.6	37.0	1.4	31.1	-1.0
	Jun	1,049.69	1.1	829.06	0.2	25.87	2.0	23.48	0.3	462.6	4.0	1,844.2	-0.4	39.2	0.5	30.7	-5.5
	Jul	1,054.20	1.4	834.76	-1.1	26.15	2.0	23.43	0.0	468.8	0.3	1,829.2	0.5	37.3	0.3	29.9	-1.6
	Aug	1,073.39	1.6	847.64	0.8	26.62	2.5	23.66	1.2	465.1	0.3	1,830.5	-0.5	38.1	4.4	28.8	-2.7
	Sep	1,105.66	4.9	839.19	-0.8	26.77	3.1	23.74	0.7	457.9	-1.1	1,832.7	0.6	38.7	4.3	30.7	-4.1
	Oct	1,086.32	-0.6	826.68	-2.1	26.81	-0.5	23.53	-0.8	449.7	-1.3	1,834.8	1.0	33.9	1.8	28.5	0.4
	Nov	1,109.80	-0.2	841.84	-0.4	27.11	-0.1	23.77	-0.3	437.6	-1.1	1,843.7	1.8	34.6	1.5	28.1	-1.7
	Dec	1,096.39	-0.6	856.52	3.5	27.18	-0.6	24.14	1.9	444.0	1.9	1,835.9	0.4	37.9	-0.3	32.0	0.9
2015	Jan	1,100.99	-0.4	860.46	4.2	27.59	0.8	24.28	2.7	451.4	3.6	1,802.3	-0.1	36.4	-0.5	31.5	1.3
	Feb	1,107.96	1.3	859.25	4.3	27.36	0.6	24.21	2.3	441.8	1.1	1,805.2	-0.2	37.3	8.4	31.6	2.9
	Mar	1,118.35	0.0	871.23	5.6	27.60	0.5	24.43	2.9	443.6	0.0	1,811.3	-0.4	36.4	-1.4	29.8	-4.8
	Apr	1,122.58	1.0	883.33	6.6	27.71	1.0	24.77	4.3	445.6	1.6	1,797.5	-1.5	37.2	13.4	32.5	16.1
	May	1,099.88	1.4	869.67	5.5	27.19	1.8	24.55	4.2	458.3	0.0	1,845.1	0.6	37.9	2.4	31.7	1.9
	Jun	1,105.98	5.4	865.34	4.4	27.49	6.3	24.23	3.2	459.0	-0.8	1,878.0	1.8	39.6	1.0	32.1	4.6
	Jul	1,073.82	1.9	865.05	3.6	26.95	3.1	23.92	2.1	464.3	-1.0	1,865.4	2.0	37.0	-0.8	30.6	2.3
	Aug	1,109.75	3.4	876.71	3.4	27.23	2.3	24.26	2.5	469.5	0.9	1,868.2	2.1	36.7	-3.7	30.2	4.9
	Sep																
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Average:																	
	Jan-Aug14	1,086.32		829.83		26.85		23.62		451.2		1,824.4		36.5		30.2	
	Jan-Aug15	1,104.91		868.88		27.39		24.33		454.2		1,834.1		37.3		31.3	
	% Change	1.7		4.7		2.0		3.0		0.7		0.5		2.1		3.5	

* Average Actual Hours, All Workers, Main Job / Monthly percent changes are calculated as month over same month previous year

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3.2A B.C. INDUSTRIAL COMPARISON - AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE RATE

	All Goods Producing Industries		Agriculture		Forestry, Fishing, Mining, Quarrying, Oil & Gas		Utilities		Manufacturing		Construction	
	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg
2005	808.03		506.69		1,047.55		1,053.88		803.40		779.79	
2006	836.46	3.5	487.21	-3.8	1,088.12	3.9	1,096.36	4.0	827.90	3.0	823.77	5.6
2007	882.16	5.5	562.38	15.4	1,120.05	2.9	1,116.26	1.8	857.42	3.6	872.39	5.9
2008	916.16	3.9	534.72	-4.9	1,178.78	5.2	1,126.11	0.9	889.88	3.8	909.64	4.3
2009	958.67	4.6	570.93	6.8	1,261.06	7.0	1,251.35	11.1	894.00	0.5	975.71	7.3
2010	994.53	3.7	618.06	8.3	1,253.44	-0.6	1,269.93	1.5	965.52	8.0	982.94	0.7
2011	1,008.20	1.4	623.43	0.9	1,325.67	5.8	1,344.03	5.8	937.99	-2.9	1,009.66	2.7
2012	1,031.72	2.3	590.54	-5.3	1,337.67	0.9	1,295.06	-3.6	995.61	6.1	1,016.09	0.6
2013	1,061.92	2.9	640.29	8.4	1,372.30	2.6	1,280.41	-1.1	989.91	-0.6	1,074.74	5.8
2014	1,090.20	2.7	646.77	1.0	1,393.81	1.6	1,457.09	13.8	1,012.62	2.3	1,086.93	1.1
2014 Jan	1,105.25	1.5	728.04	12.4	1,476.53	2.5	1,332.28	0.9	1,032.29	4.3	1,086.00	-3.3
Feb	1,093.46	3.2	690.86	13.4	1,590.93	16.0	1,447.31	20.3	1,002.74	2.9	1,044.46	-4.4
Mar	1,118.48	7.7	659.64	18.8	1,602.43	17.1	1,516.09	11.5	987.96	3.7	1,108.83	4.2
Apr	1,111.49	8.2	674.57	24.5	1,406.96	5.0	1,507.50	10.0	1,025.21	6.5	1,110.14	7.3
May	1,084.60	5.1	645.12	14.5	1,377.35	-0.4	1,525.72	15.4	993.13	3.9	1,093.09	6.0
Jun	1,049.69	1.1	622.20	-0.3	1,339.32	-1.4	1,457.00	25.3	980.55	1.7	1,036.64	-1.6
Jul	1,054.20	1.4	614.58	-4.3	1,248.04	-5.4	1,513.42	28.6	1,008.40	3.2	1,067.65	0.0
Aug	1,073.39	1.6	629.92	-11.4	1,297.98	-0.8	1,445.07	37.0	1,044.49	2.2	1,067.74	-0.2
Sep	1,105.66	4.9	687.59	4.4	1,315.23	-2.6	1,405.62	25.8	1,036.06	5.2	1,127.14	4.6
Oct	1,086.32	-0.6	554.62	-18.3	1,365.49	-0.8	1,341.26	4.1	999.59	-3.3	1,102.87	0.4
Nov	1,109.80	-0.2	582.74	-18.3	1,334.61	-6.6	1,393.60	0.3	1,022.12	-0.7	1,135.66	1.8
Dec	1,096.39	-0.6	619.77	-10.2	1,393.12	-2.5	1,581.36	0.3	1,020.22	-1.1	1,065.33	0.1
2015 Jan	1,100.99	-0.4	705.99	-3.0	1,388.03	-6.0	1,481.78	11.2	1,007.41	-2.4	1,091.27	0.5
Feb	1,107.96	1.3	666.08	-3.6	1,356.39	-14.7	1,589.10	9.8	1,028.70	2.6	1,094.72	4.8
Mar	1,118.35	0.0	691.80	4.9	1,537.93	-4.0	1,830.57	20.7	988.61	0.1	1,100.07	-0.8
Apr	1,122.58	1.0	685.10	1.6	1,543.24	9.7	1,754.10	16.4	1,015.15	-1.0	1,108.15	-0.2
May	1,099.88	1.4	648.40	0.5	1,464.86	6.4	1,787.02	17.1	1,016.98	2.4	1,059.02	-3.1
Jun	1,105.98	5.4	675.73	8.6	1,527.64	14.1	1,610.36	10.5	1,007.39	2.7	1,078.10	4.0
Jul	1,073.82	1.9	531.46	-13.5	1,424.97	14.2	1,411.15	-6.8	1,010.78	0.2	1,052.44	-1.4
Aug	1,109.75	3.4	731.18	16.1	1,440.54	11.0	1,374.42	-4.9	1,050.62	0.6	1,089.51	2.0
Sep												
Oct												
Nov												
Dec												
Average:												
Jan-Aug14	1,086.32		658.12		1,417.44		1,468.05		1,009.35		1,076.82	
Jan-Aug15	1,104.91		666.97		1,460.45		1,604.81		1,015.71		1,084.16	
% Change	1.7		1.3		3.0		9.3		0.6		0.7	

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3.2B B.C. INDUSTRIAL COMPARISON - AVERAGE WEEKLY WAGE RATE

	All Service Producing Industries		Transport. and Warehousing		Retail and Wholesale Trade		Finance & Related		Selected Breakout of Community & Personal Service								Public Administration		Total All Industries	
									Profess., Scient. & Tech Services		Educational Services		Health Care & Social Assist.		Accommod. & Food Serv.					
	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg
2005	677.81		838.88		522.13		733.24		930.57		852.70		726.10		384.94		952.18		704.05	
2006	697.82	3.0	853.78	1.8	560.60	7.4	766.70	4.6	953.35	2.4	849.38	-0.4	748.10	3.0	374.42	-2.7	991.57	4.1	725.69	3.1
2007	713.57	2.3	873.39	2.3	576.79	2.9	773.65	0.9	974.17	2.2	846.59	-0.3	741.95	-0.8	393.55	5.1	1,013.88	2.2	748.41	3.1
2008	744.57	4.3	919.75	5.3	596.83	3.5	833.26	7.7	993.09	1.9	900.45	6.4	782.05	5.4	393.12	-0.1	1,041.34	2.7	779.76	4.2
2009	765.43	2.8	920.67	0.1	613.33	2.8	878.71	5.5	1,094.22	10.2	869.54	-3.4	807.51	3.3	394.93	0.5	1,131.32	8.6	801.18	2.7
2010	781.67	2.1	972.34	5.6	634.44	3.4	887.99	1.1	1,085.25	-0.8	926.97	6.6	814.54	0.9	397.83	0.7	1,150.44	1.7	820.49	2.4
2011	800.05	2.4	977.23	0.5	634.28	0.0	898.40	1.2	1,104.21	1.7	962.03	3.8	834.41	2.4	405.90	2.0	1,197.84	4.1	838.19	2.2
2012	812.20	1.5	982.67	0.6	636.86	0.4	942.76	4.9	1,130.85	2.4	976.47	1.5	845.46	1.3	443.80	9.3	1,186.10	-1.0	853.48	1.8
2013	837.51	3.1	1,059.12	7.8	661.52	3.9	960.08	1.8	1,208.74	6.9	973.11	-0.3	874.26	3.4	426.30	-3.9	1,208.68	1.9	879.80	3.1
2014	833.60	-0.5	1,020.31	-3.7	661.55	0.0	963.52	0.4	1,159.67	-4.1	971.87	-0.1	852.17	-2.5	461.56	8.3	1,214.17	0.5	882.22	0.3
2014 Jan	826.09	-0.9	1,056.99	3.2	645.93	-6.9	970.69	2.6	1,172.14	0.3	960.94	-2.4	846.76	-1.8	433.80	0.9	1,197.89	4.2	878.42	-0.2
Feb	823.97	-1.1	1,075.40	0.3	640.07	-3.4	1,034.60	9.8	1,158.71	-5.6	945.11	-0.7	832.27	-4.8	452.97	7.4	1,218.47	5.8	874.58	0.1
Mar	824.76	-0.3	1,047.06	-1.1	650.89	-2.7	977.34	9.6	1,143.47	-4.9	989.13	2.5	841.10	-1.2	437.86	-0.2	1,230.59	5.3	879.27	1.6
Apr	828.30	-1.5	1,043.29	-2.5	677.90	-0.5	944.50	2.3	1,123.47	-6.9	954.79	-0.5	835.38	-4.7	436.87	1.7	1,247.63	6.2	880.39	0.7
May	824.03	-1.8	1,007.31	-4.2	651.25	-4.0	956.62	0.5	1,123.30	-3.7	962.17	-0.4	848.38	-6.5	452.20	10.9	1,225.74	5.1	873.64	-0.2
Jun	829.06	0.2	987.47	-5.9	667.06	2.9	907.82	-5.5	1,160.47	-0.6	1,011.18	6.0	833.13	-4.5	460.41	16.1	1,244.76	-0.9	871.89	0.5
Jul	834.76	-1.1	990.23	-4.5	671.97	-1.0	918.68	-2.7	1,188.02	-2.2	1,010.74	-2.6	849.04	-2.2	461.32	4.3	1,238.39	-2.0	878.02	-0.6
Aug	847.64	0.8	1,015.07	-5.6	679.69	2.9	956.34	-2.1	1,208.51	2.5	1,057.76	7.8	834.00	-6.2	482.39	13.5	1,234.23	-0.4	891.76	0.9
Sep	839.19	-0.8	989.70	-6.5	666.90	1.4	945.96	-7.6	1,136.21	-6.0	948.70	-2.2	886.56	-1.4	469.06	16.7	1,212.70	-3.0	890.72	0.4
Oct	826.68	-2.1	1,003.19	-2.0	649.93	2.0	975.30	-0.2	1,097.67	-14.6	957.93	0.1	870.39	-0.8	468.10	5.4	1,170.03	-7.5	875.23	-1.8
Nov	841.84	-0.4	997.64	-8.2	671.23	4.3	944.46	-6.0	1,198.88	-6.4	923.33	-5.0	875.65	3.2	487.03	11.9	1,165.84	-6.2	891.14	-0.6
Dec	856.52	3.5	1,045.56	-5.3	664.38	5.2	1,030.35	6.5	1,201.45	1.0	971.05	-2.7	874.11	1.2	500.00	13.1	1,180.85	-2.0	901.43	2.7
2015 Jan	860.46	4.2	1,030.57	-2.5	687.53	6.4	1,018.91	5.0	1,161.46	-0.9	980.20	2.0	865.28	2.2	476.47	9.8	1,242.90	3.8	906.29	3.2
Feb	859.25	4.3	1,043.19	-3.0	702.59	9.8	959.55	-7.3	1,156.15	-0.2	941.60	-0.4	906.06	8.9	471.82	4.2	1,243.41	2.0	904.73	3.4
Mar	871.23	5.6	1,111.59	6.2	708.96	8.9	1,028.53	5.2	1,159.36	1.4	993.80	0.5	897.17	6.7	455.14	3.9	1,236.58	0.5	916.38	4.2
Apr	883.33	6.6	1,110.70	6.5	714.32	5.4	1,062.66	12.5	1,202.10	7.0	987.69	3.4	884.57	5.9	477.53	9.3	1,303.16	4.5	928.11	5.4
May	869.67	5.5	1,049.01	4.1	703.83	8.1	1,023.92	7.0	1,205.43	7.3	992.96	3.2	912.22	7.5	459.15	1.5	1,309.67	6.8	913.11	4.5
Jun	865.34	4.4	1,017.72	3.1	711.18	6.6	1,068.59	17.7	1,210.57	4.3	983.85	-2.7	905.25	8.7	438.13	-4.8	1,258.47	1.1	909.87	4.4
Jul	865.05	3.6	1,119.07	13.0	716.02	6.6	1,047.88	14.1	1,200.27	1.0	1,009.48	-0.1	887.86	4.6	448.55	-2.8	1,237.87	0.0	904.81	3.1
Aug	876.71	3.4	1,083.28	6.7	723.60	6.5	1,049.36	9.7	1,218.73	0.8	1,037.36	-1.9	873.05	4.7	469.01	-2.8	1,271.22	3.0	923.00	3.5
Sep																				
Oct																				
Nov																				
Dec																				
Average:																				
Jan-Aug14	829.83		1,027.85		660.60		958.32		1,159.76		986.48		840.01		452.23		1,229.71		878.50	
Jan-Aug15	868.88		1,070.64		708.50		1,032.43		1,189.26		990.87		891.43		461.98		1,262.91		913.29	
% Change	4.7		4.2		7.3		7.7		2.5		0.4		6.1		2.2		2.7		4.0	

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3.3A B.C. INDUSTRIAL COMPARISON - AVERAGE HOURLY WAGE RATE

	All Goods Producing Industries		Agriculture		Forestry, Fishing, Mining, Quarrying, Oil & Gas		Utilities		Manufacturing		Construction	
	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg
2005	20.21		12.69		24.21		27.52		20.32		19.60	
2006	20.88	3.3	12.73	0.3	25.20	4.1	28.19	2.4	20.95	3.1	20.53	4.7
2007	21.94	5.1	14.45	13.5	25.48	1.1	28.93	2.6	21.62	3.2	21.86	6.5
2008	22.95	4.6	13.97	-3.3	26.79	5.1	29.10	0.6	22.55	4.3	23.02	5.3
2009	24.15	5.2	15.00	7.4	28.69	7.1	32.35	11.2	22.96	1.8	24.71	7.3
2010	24.89	3.1	16.08	7.2	28.82	0.5	32.60	0.8	24.40	6.3	24.84	0.5
2011	25.16	1.1	15.69	-2.4	30.23	4.9	34.61	6.2	23.96	-1.8	25.28	1.8
2012	25.77	2.4	15.70	0.1	30.46	0.8	34.20	-1.2	25.13	4.9	25.65	1.5
2013	26.24	1.8	17.24	9.8	30.19	-0.9	32.83	-4.0	25.24	0.4	26.62	3.8
2014	26.88	2.4	16.73	-3.0	30.42	0.8	38.05	15.9	25.66	1.7	27.05	1.6
2014 Jan	27.37	1.6	17.82	-2.2	32.62	3.8	34.80	6.3	26.14	4.2	27.38	-2.5
Feb	27.19	3.0	16.69	-6.3	33.87	12.2	38.45	22.0	25.73	3.3	26.77	-2.1
Mar	27.45	5.9	16.19	0.1	33.79	11.8	40.21	12.8	25.23	2.9	27.69	4.7
Apr	27.43	6.3	16.77	0.4	31.16	4.7	38.59	8.4	25.95	5.2	27.75	6.2
May	26.71	4.4	16.78	0.0	30.38	-0.4	39.34	17.9	24.96	3.0	27.32	6.1
Jun	25.87	2.0	15.56	-11.8	28.75	-0.6	37.62	25.7	24.79	1.5	26.10	1.1
Jul	26.15	2.0	15.65	-8.4	27.16	-5.7	39.68	31.7	25.53	1.5	26.84	3.0
Aug	26.62	2.5	15.69	-13.0	29.05	-3.2	37.95	37.8	26.32	1.1	26.77	3.7
Sep	26.77	3.1	17.76	4.5	28.93	-3.4	37.17	27.0	25.93	3.4	26.97	1.6
Oct	26.81	-0.5	17.56	2.6	30.33	-1.8	35.35	4.3	25.39	-2.8	27.04	-0.6
Nov	27.11	-0.1	16.43	-2.5	29.00	-5.4	35.44	1.3	26.11	-0.5	27.42	0.0
Dec	27.18	-0.6	19.73	15.3	30.42	-2.1	41.59	7.0	25.88	-2.2	26.57	-1.2
2015 Jan	27.59	0.8	18.71	5.0	32.27	-1.1	38.84	11.6	25.61	-2.0	27.49	0.4
Feb	27.36	0.6	16.64	-0.3	31.01	-8.4	41.37	7.6	25.92	0.7	26.92	0.6
Mar	27.60	0.5	16.82	3.9	33.58	-0.6	44.12	9.7	25.43	0.8	27.36	-1.2
Apr	27.71	1.0	16.66	-0.7	33.48	7.4	42.92	11.2	25.92	-0.1	27.74	0.0
May	27.19	1.8	15.27	-9.0	33.10	9.0	42.52	8.1	25.36	1.6	27.03	-1.1
Jun	27.49	6.3	18.24	17.1	33.72	17.3	39.85	5.9	25.54	3.0	27.41	5.0
Jul	26.95	3.1	16.30	4.2	31.45	15.8	36.51	-8.0	25.83	1.2	26.85	0.0
Aug	27.23	2.3	16.88	7.6	31.39	8.1	35.39	-6.7	26.48	0.6	27.13	1.3
Sep												
Oct												
Nov												
Dec												
Average:												
Jan-Aug14	26.85		16.40		30.85		38.33		25.58		27.08	
Jan-Aug15	27.39		16.94		32.50		40.19		25.76		27.24	
% Change	2.0		3.3		5.4		4.9		0.7		0.6	

Monthly percent changes are calculated as month over same month previous year

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Source: Statistics Canada Labour Force Survey

3.3B B.C. INDUSTRIAL COMPARISON - AVERAGE HOURLY WAGE RATE

	All Service Producing Industries		Transport. and Warehousing		Retail and Wholesale Trade		Finance & Related		Selected Breakout of Community & Personal Service								Public Administration		Total All Industries	
									Profess., Scient. & Tech Services		Educational Services		Health Care & Social Assist.		Accommod. & Food Serv.					
	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg	$	% Chg
2005	19.14		21.15		14.98		19.90		24.32		25.23		21.85		12.00		25.88		19.36	
2006	19.68	2.8	21.43	1.3	15.76	5.2	20.76	4.3	25.04	3.0	25.53	1.2	22.38	2.4	11.84	-1.3	26.57	2.7	19.92	2.9
2007	20.15	2.4	21.95	2.4	16.16	2.5	21.02	1.3	25.28	1.0	25.97	1.7	22.54	0.7	12.39	4.6	27.23	2.5	20.52	3.0
2008	21.06	4.5	23.44	6.8	16.72	3.5	22.78	8.4	26.12	3.3	26.97	3.9	23.61	4.7	12.92	4.3	28.13	3.3	21.45	4.5
2009	21.78	3.4	23.57	0.6	17.41	4.1	23.76	4.3	28.58	9.4	26.83	-0.5	24.39	3.3	13.00	0.6	30.10	7.0	22.22	3.6
2010	22.25	2.2	24.77	5.1	17.93	3.0	24.34	2.4	28.53	-0.2	28.32	5.6	24.77	1.6	13.00	0.0	30.76	2.2	22.73	2.3
2011	22.74	2.2	24.91	0.6	18.00	0.4	24.55	0.9	28.96	1.5	28.93	2.2	25.46	2.8	13.33	2.5	32.19	4.6	23.18	2.0
2012	23.03	1.3	25.26	1.4	18.21	1.2	25.57	4.2	29.29	1.1	28.67	-0.9	25.66	0.8	14.21	6.6	31.65	-1.7	23.55	1.6
2013	23.66	2.7	26.78	6.0	18.58	2.0	25.82	1.0	31.41	7.2	29.32	2.3	26.05	1.5	14.17	-0.3	32.57	2.9	24.14	2.5
2014	23.68	0.1	26.51	-1.0	18.83	1.3	25.75	-0.3	30.36	-3.3	29.29	-0.1	25.67	-1.5	14.88	5.0	32.74	0.5	24.28	0.6
2014 Jan	23.65	-0.3	26.68	-2.1	18.68	-3.6	25.61	-1.0	30.43	0.7	29.69	0.5	25.14	-2.9	14.93	5.6	32.51	3.5	24.34	0.2
Feb	23.67	-0.3	26.73	-2.5	18.64	-0.9	27.17	8.5	30.39	-4.6	29.49	2.2	24.97	-6.1	15.02	5.8	33.21	5.3	24.33	0.5
Mar	23.74	0.6	27.26	0.0	19.00	0.8	25.56	4.8	30.42	-3.6	30.24	2.9	25.47	-0.5	14.56	1.8	33.15	3.3	24.43	1.8
Apr	23.75	-0.7	27.32	0.6	19.28	0.3	24.87	-2.2	29.91	-4.8	29.54	0.5	25.58	-2.1	14.64	0.7	33.45	5.7	24.43	0.7
May	23.56	-1.3	26.96	2.9	18.61	-2.2	25.80	-1.1	29.57	-4.3	29.08	-1.0	25.94	-4.1	14.57	5.7	33.22	2.9	24.16	-0.2
Jun	23.48	0.3	26.32	-3.2	18.92	3.7	24.17	-5.4	30.65	1.7	29.64	0.6	25.23	-2.1	14.52	8.8	33.35	0.0	23.94	0.6
Jul	23.43	0.0	25.88	-0.4	18.88	0.8	25.00	-1.0	31.08	-0.4	28.95	-3.0	25.61	-1.4	14.64	5.6	32.79	-2.5	23.96	0.4
Aug	23.66	1.2	26.93	0.2	18.85	2.8	25.83	-0.6	31.00	1.0	30.24	4.3	25.21	-3.7	14.91	7.8	33.11	0.8	24.24	1.5
Sep	23.74	0.7	25.94	-0.5	18.79	2.8	25.96	-2.6	30.14	-5.5	28.30	-0.8	26.51	1.7	15.02	7.4	32.49	-2.2	24.32	1.1
Oct	23.53	-0.8	25.75	1.1	18.59	3.6	26.10	-0.6	28.58	-13.2	29.19	1.3	26.25	1.4	15.15	2.4	31.65	-5.4	24.14	-0.7
Nov	23.77	-0.3	25.70	-4.7	18.82	2.6	25.48	-5.1	30.74	-6.4	28.34	-3.4	26.02	2.1	15.38	7.6	31.65	-4.8	24.38	-0.4
Dec	24.14	1.9	27.04	-2.1	18.91	5.1	27.45	4.8	31.35	0.7	28.79	-5.0	26.06	0.2	15.32	2.6	32.23	-0.9	24.71	1.4
2015 Jan	24.28	2.7	27.29	2.3	19.44	4.1	27.15	6.0	30.31	-0.4	28.83	-2.9	25.72	2.3	15.40	3.1	33.67	3.6	24.91	2.3
Feb	24.21	2.3	27.02	1.1	19.66	5.5	26.11	-3.9	30.15	-0.8	28.08	-4.8	26.29	5.3	15.26	1.6	33.72	1.5	24.79	1.9
Mar	24.43	2.9	28.16	3.3	19.99	5.2	27.69	8.3	30.62	0.7	28.41	-6.1	26.31	3.3	14.96	2.7	33.27	0.4	25.01	2.4
Apr	24.77	4.3	28.34	3.7	19.99	3.7	28.59	15.0	31.44	5.1	29.17	-1.3	26.36	3.0	15.35	4.8	34.88	4.3	25.32	3.6
May	24.55	4.2	27.56	2.2	19.85	6.7	27.90	8.1	31.65	7.0	29.41	1.1	26.87	3.6	14.79	1.5	34.81	4.8	25.04	3.6
Jun	24.23	3.2	26.36	0.2	19.86	5.0	29.02	20.1	31.02	1.2	28.90	-2.5	26.59	5.4	14.41	-0.8	33.46	0.3	24.83	3.7
Jul	23.92	2.1	27.64	6.8	19.75	4.6	28.20	12.8	30.86	-0.7	28.89	-0.2	26.13	2.0	13.96	-4.6	32.72	-0.2	24.50	2.3
Aug	24.26	2.5	27.17	0.9	19.96	5.9	28.67	11.0	31.93	3.0	29.07	-3.9	26.00	3.1	14.28	-4.2	33.21	0.3	24.85	2.5
Sep																				
Oct																				
Nov																				
Dec																				
Average:																				
Jan-Aug14	23.62		26.76		18.86		25.50		30.43		29.61		25.39		14.72		33.10		24.23	
Jan-Aug15	24.33		27.44		19.81		27.92		31.00		28.85		26.28		14.80		33.72		24.91	
% Change	3.0		2.6		5.1		9.5		1.9		-2.6		3.5		0.5		1.9		2.8	

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3.4A B.C. INDUSTRIAL COMPARISON - EMPLOYMENT (Actual)

	All Goods Prod Industries (incl. Utilities)		Agriculture		Forestry & Logging		Fishing Hunting & Trapping		Mining & Oil & Gas		Total Manufacturing		Selected Breakout of Manufacturing						Construction	
													Food and Beverage		Wood		Paper			
	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg
2005	445.1		38.3		21.6		2.1		13.8		193.4		30.9		44.7		11.9		165.8	
2006	452.7	1.7	34.9	-8.9	21.7	0.5	2.7	28.6	19.1	38.4	191.3	-1.1	23.5	-23.9	43.3	-3.1	14.7	23.5	174.7	5.4
2007	480.6	6.2	34.9	0.0	24.1	11.1	2.9	7.4	19.7	3.1	197.4	3.2	27.2	15.7	43.3	0.0	14.9	1.4	191.7	9.7
2008	486.1	1.1	33.8	-3.2	17.2	-28.6	2.1	-27.6	24.5	24.4	177.9	-9.9	29.0	6.6	32.9	-24.0	12.9	-13.4	218.1	13.8
2009	441.4	-9.2	31.6	-6.5	13.8	-19.8	2.2	4.8	23.6	-3.7	154.5	-13.2	27.3	-5.9	26.3	-20.1	10.3	-20.2	203.7	-6.6
2010	436.6	-1.1	29.7	-6.0	16.3	18.1	2.0	-9.1	23.4	-0.8	154.6	0.1	24.9	-8.8	26.7	1.5	9.4	-8.7	198.4	-2.6
2011	431.7	-1.1	25.6	-13.8	14.6	-10.4	n.a.	n.a.	24.8	6.0	156.8	1.4	28.7	15.3	29.4	10.1	8.7	-7.4	197.1	-0.7
2012	441.4	2.2	23.8	-7.0	16.2	11.0	1.8	n.a.	25.1	1.2	164.8	5.1	29.0	1.0	25.2	-14.3	11.4	31.0	198.6	0.8
2013	442.1	0.2	28.0	17.6	17.6	8.6	1.6	-11.1	27.6	10.0	151.7	-7.9	26.7	-7.9	26.4	4.8	10.5	-7.9	204.4	2.9
2014	449.9	1.8	24.3	-13.2	19.2	9.1	2.0	25.0	28.7	4.0	161.4	6.4	28.1	5.2	29.3	11.0	12.2	16.2	200.5	-1.9
2014 Jan	435.9	3.2	23.3	-6.4	15.6	-2.5	1.5	-6.3	28.5	14.0	151.6	2.3	25.9	11.2	30.3	14.3	13.3	46.2	201.4	2.6
Feb	437.2	2.5	23.1	-8.0	17.2	13.9	n.a.	n.a.	28.8	5.5	151.4	2.6	27.2	0.0	30.6	11.7	11.7	58.1	201.6	1.4
Mar	443.5	4.8	22.5	-18.2	19.4	27.6	n.a.	n.a.	28.9	12.0	155.4	3.6	29.4	-4.9	30.0	13.6	12.9	59.3	201.9	5.5
Apr	438.4	3.6	22.5	-18.5	15.6	-0.6	2.4	0.0	32.5	26.5	155.7	5.4	27.6	-7.7	30.6	13.3	11.2	57.7	195.8	1.8
May	458.2	4.9	25.7	-1.2	20.0	-1.0	1.8	n.a.	31.0	19.2	165.0	12.4	32.4	17.0	29.6	20.8	15.9	51.4	200.9	-2.0
Jun	462.6	4.0	23.6	-17.5	21.2	7.6	4.4	37.5	26.7	3.5	167.3	11.7	30.7	5.9	31.0	34.2	14.9	35.5	205.8	-0.1
Jul	468.8	0.3	31.7	-2.2	20.9	7.7	n.a.	n.a.	25.9	-3.0	169.7	5.7	28.6	3.2	28.2	7.6	11.8	-23.9	205.5	-4.4
Aug	465.1	0.3	30.7	-13.8	21.1	30.2	2.4	50.0	25.2	-14.6	167.2	5.2	26.8	0.0	27.4	-5.5	12.3	0.0	205.0	-2.9
Sep	457.9	-1.1	25.8	-17.6	23.7	31.7	2.6	62.5	25.9	-15.6	164.9	6.1	25.2	-1.6	31.9	25.1	11.1	1.8	202.8	-5.5
Oct	449.7	-1.3	21.9	-27.2	21.7	9.6	2.1	n.a.	28.3	-5.4	163.4	8.9	27.3	18.2	27.0	4.7	11.6	2.7	198.8	-7.0
Nov	437.6	-1.1	20.2	-21.1	17.7	-6.8	1.7	n.a.	30.1	3.1	161.6	7.4	27.3	10.5	28.3	1.4	9.7	-20.5	192.6	-7.0
Dec	444.0	1.9	20.7	-1.4	16.7	-1.2	1.6	n.a.	32.7	9.7	163.2	5.8	28.3	16.5	26.7	-1.8	10.6	0.0	194.4	-3.5
2015 Jan	451.4	3.6	19.4	-16.7	18.2	16.7	2.9	93.3	30.8	8.1	167.0	10.2	32.1	23.9	29.2	-3.6	10.2	-23.3	196.5	-2.4
Feb	441.8	1.1	18.4	-20.3	19.4	12.8	2.1	n.a.	24.1	-16.3	166.0	9.6	31.7	16.5	28.0	-8.5	11.1	-5.1	196.8	-2.4
Mar	443.6	0.0	20.1	-10.7	17.4	-10.3	1.6	n.a.	26.3	-9.0	166.6	7.2	30.0	2.0	23.9	-20.3	11.7	-9.3	197.2	-2.3
Apr	445.6	1.6	23.4	4.0	15.4	-1.3	1.8	-25.0	28.4	-12.6	167.6	7.6	32.0	15.9	26.2	-14.4	11.9	6.3	196.0	0.1
May	458.3	0.0	22.6	-12.1	16.4	-18.0	1.9	5.6	25.0	-19.4	175.0	6.1	35.4	9.3	31.1	5.1	11.5	-27.7	203.3	1.2
Jun	459.0	-0.8	24.7	4.7	17.9	-15.6	1.8	-59.1	28.2	5.6	174.0	4.0	30.9	0.7	36.0	16.1	11.9	-20.1	198.2	-3.7
Jul	464.3	-1.0	26.6	-16.1	21.0	0.5	1.9	n.a.	25.9	0.0	172.0	1.4	30.1	5.2	34.5	22.3	9.7	-17.8	202.3	-1.6
Aug	469.5	0.9	23.6	-23.1	23.0	9.0	n.a.	n.a.	26.5	5.2	174.6	4.4	34.8	29.9	37.1	35.4	8.6	-30.1	207.4	1.2
Sep																				
Oct																				
Nov																				
Dec																				
Average:																				
Jan-Aug14	451.2		25.4		18.9		n.a.		28.4		160.4		28.6		29.7		13.0		202.2	
Jan-Aug15	454.2		22.4		18.6		n.a.		26.9		170.4		32.1		30.8		10.8		199.7	
% Change	0.7		-12.0		-1.5		n.a.		-5.4		6.2		12.4		3.5		-16.7		-1.2	

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3.4B **B.C. INDUSTRIAL COMPARISON - EMPLOYMENT (Actual)**

	All Service Producing Industries		Transport. and Warehousing		Retail and Wholesale Trade		Finance & Related		Total Comm., & Personal Service		Selected Breakout of Comm. & Pers. Service						Public Administration		Total All Industries	
											Educational Services		Health Care & Social Assist.		Accommod. & Food Serv.					
	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg	('000)	% Chg
2005	1,644.6		116.3		329.8		131.2		973.9		143.2		212.8		171.7		93.2		2,089.7	
2006	1,688.1	2.6	115.8	-0.4	343.3	4.1	133.2	1.5	1,006.1	3.3	153.2	7.0	227.7	7.0	167.4	-2.5	89.9	-3.5	2,140.8	2.4
2007	1,725.4	2.2	121.7	5.1	353.2	2.9	141.4	6.2	1,014.4	0.8	154.3	0.7	231.7	1.8	168.7	0.8	94.7	5.3	2,206.0	3.0
2008	1,755.8	1.8	123.8	1.7	352.2	-0.3	138.7	-1.9	1,040.3	2.6	153.3	-0.6	241.2	4.1	170.6	1.1	100.9	6.5	2,241.9	1.6
2009	1,750.6	-0.3	113.6	-8.2	359.0	1.9	132.7	-4.3	1,039.7	-0.1	147.0	-4.1	257.0	6.6	170.8	0.1	105.6	4.7	2,191.9	-2.2
2010	1,786.5	2.1	117.7	3.6	369.4	2.9	139.8	5.4	1,054.8	1.5	152.0	3.4	263.8	2.6	172.4	0.9	104.7	-0.9	2,223.0	1.4
2011	1,796.1	0.5	122.4	4.0	354.1	-4.1	139.6	-0.1	1,074.5	1.9	155.3	2.2	262.5	-0.5	183.0	6.1	105.7	1.0	2,227.8	0.2
2012	1,821.0	1.4	129.3	5.6	346.9	-2.0	136.5	-2.2	1,107.8	3.1	164.5	5.9	275.2	4.8	182.7	-0.2	100.5	-4.9	2,262.5	1.6
2013	1,823.5	0.1	127.3	-1.5	360.5	3.9	139.6	2.3	1,097.3	-0.9	166.7	1.3	267.2	-2.9	179.5	-1.8	98.7	-1.8	2,265.6	0.1
2014	1,828.5	0.3	133.8	5.1	358.0	-0.7	137.2	-1.7	1,101.7	0.4	166.3	-0.2	269.8	1.0	185.3	3.2	97.9	-0.8	2,278.4	0.6
2014 Jan	1,804.9	0.8	126.3	-1.4	347.2	0.3	141.8	11.4	1,092.3	0.6	177.1	1.1	269.5	1.5	182.0	3.8	97.3	-5.1	2,240.8	1.3
Feb	1,808.8	-0.5	126.3	-2.9	348.9	-0.6	137.3	3.7	1,099.9	0.3	178.7	2.1	271.1	2.4	188.8	2.3	96.4	-9.4	2,245.9	0.1
Mar	1,819.0	0.4	123.5	-1.7	349.0	0.5	137.4	3.0	1,111.8	1.1	178.1	2.8	270.9	1.1	192.0	4.9	97.0	-7.5	2,262.5	1.3
Apr	1,825.5	-0.2	127.3	-1.8	353.2	0.7	139.3	-0.6	1,110.9	0.6	178.2	1.5	273.5	1.1	186.0	5.4	94.8	-8.6	2,264.0	0.5
May	1,833.2	-0.6	132.0	2.3	357.9	-1.6	133.8	-4.2	1,110.6	0.7	173.5	0.8	270.5	1.0	183.5	2.3	98.9	-8.8	2,291.4	0.5
Jun	1,844.2	-0.4	131.1	2.4	365.8	-0.4	137.8	-5.5	1,112.2	-0.2	169.6	-2.9	270.3	-0.7	181.3	0.3	97.2	1.8	2,306.8	0.5
Jul	1,829.2	0.5	135.9	4.0	367.5	0.7	140.7	-5.0	1,083.7	0.3	137.0	2.5	265.1	0.1	192.8	6.7	101.4	6.8	2,298.0	0.5
Aug	1,830.5	-0.5	137.7	6.2	367.8	-0.9	136.1	-8.2	1,086.5	-0.7	137.3	6.4	264.5	-3.0	192.2	0.5	102.5	6.5	2,295.6	-0.3
Sep	1,832.7	0.6	140.6	8.5	360.6	-2.6	135.2	-4.8	1,094.0	0.6	160.5	-1.5	269.7	2.4	188.7	8.5	102.3	10.6	2,290.5	0.2
Oct	1,834.8	1.0	144.5	19.8	355.9	-3.7	132.7	-5.9	1,108.4	1.3	167.0	-4.9	266.5	0.6	181.5	6.2	93.3	2.2	2,284.4	0.5
Nov	1,843.7	1.8	141.0	13.9	364.7	0.8	137.3	-1.0	1,101.5	0.7	169.1	-4.7	271.3	2.6	177.5	1.4	99.2	7.4	2,281.3	1.2
Dec	1,835.9	0.4	139.2	13.4	357.3	-1.4	136.5	-1.6	1,108.0	-0.2	169.2	-3.7	274.4	2.3	176.9	-3.5	94.8	-0.5	2,280.0	0.7
2015 Jan	1,802.3	-0.1	134.1	6.2	341.6	-1.6	129.8	-8.5	1,105.0	1.2	169.2	-4.5	274.8	2.0	177.2	-2.6	91.8	-5.7	2,253.6	0.6
Feb	1,805.2	-0.2	129.8	2.8	339.1	-2.8	130.6	-4.9	1,111.6	1.1	176.0	-1.5	273.2	0.8	175.4	-7.1	94.3	-2.2	2,247.1	0.1
Mar	1,811.3	-0.4	133.8	8.3	340.8	-2.3	134.5	-2.1	1,108.7	-0.3	173.9	-2.4	269.1	-0.7	176.2	-8.2	93.6	-3.5	2,254.9	-0.3
Apr	1,797.5	-1.5	136.0	6.8	340.8	-3.5	133.4	-4.2	1,094.8	-1.4	166.2	-6.7	270.9	-1.0	175.2	-5.8	92.7	-2.2	2,243.1	-0.9
May	1,845.1	0.6	142.5	8.0	346.8	-3.1	130.6	-2.4	1,132.1	1.9	160.4	-7.6	283.1	4.7	183.2	-0.2	93.1	-5.9	2,303.4	0.5
Jun	1,878.0	1.8	153.0	16.7	356.2	-2.6	131.7	-4.4	1,140.3	2.5	163.0	-3.9	289.7	7.2	183.9	1.4	96.7	-0.5	2,336.9	1.3
Jul	1,865.4	2.0	146.0	7.4	359.5	-2.2	127.7	-9.2	1,134.4	4.7	140.1	2.5	297.0	12.0	186.9	-3.1	98.0	-3.4	2,329.7	1.4
Aug	1,868.2	2.1	144.0	4.6	361.8	-1.6	130.9	-3.8	1,133.5	4.3	139.5	1.6	298.3	12.8	183.1	-4.7	98.0	-4.4	2,337.7	1.8
Sep																				
Oct																				
Nov																				
Dec																				
Average:																				
Jan-Aug14	1,824.4		130.0		357.2		138.0		1,101.0		166.2		269.4		187.3		98.2		2,275.6	
Jan-Aug15	1,834.1		139.9		348.3		131.2		1,120.1		161.1		282.0		180.1		94.8		2,288.3	
% Change	0.5		7.6		-2.5		-5.0		1.7		-3.1		4.7		-3.8		-3.5		0.6	

Monthly percent changes are calculated as month over same month previous year

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3.5A **B.C. INDUSTRIAL COMPARISON - AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS WORKED***

	All Goods Producing Industries		Agriculture		Forestry, Fishing, Mining, Quarrying, Oil & Gas		Utilities		Manufacturing		Construction	
	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg
2005	36.7		37.2		40.6		35.7		36.4		36.2	
2006	36.5	-0.5	35.5	-4.6	40.3	-0.7	36.8	3.1	36.3	-0.3	35.9	-0.8
2007	37.0	1.4	36.3	2.3	40.5	0.5	35.4	-3.8	36.6	0.8	36.8	2.5
2008	36.3	-1.9	37.5	3.3	40.3	-0.5	33.6	-5.1	36.0	-1.6	35.7	-3.0
2009	35.2	-3.0	37.6	0.3	39.8	-1.2	36.7	9.2	35.1	-2.5	34.0	-4.8
2010	36.8	4.5	37.1	-1.3	42.2	6.0	37.6	2.5	36.8	4.8	35.6	4.7
2011	36.3	-1.4	36.9	-0.5	41.8	-0.9	38.1	1.3	35.5	-3.5	35.6	0.0
2012	36.6	0.8	34.6	-6.2	41.3	-1.2	35.0	-8.1	36.4	2.5	36.0	1.1
2013	36.3	-0.8	35.9	3.8	41.8	1.2	36.2	3.4	35.5	-2.5	35.8	-0.6
2014	36.5	0.6	38	5.8	41.2	-1.4	33.7	-6.9	35.8	0.8	35.8	0.0
2014 Jan	36.6	0.5	36.0	19.6	44.5	13.2	34.5	4.2	36.7	-4.4	34.9	-0.9
Feb	34.4	-1.4	35.7	18.2	41.1	5.9	32.0	-9.6	35.7	0.6	31.8	-7.0
Mar	36.9	2.5	40.1	15.2	41.0	0.2	34.3	-3.1	36.2	2.0	36.3	2.3
Apr	32.8	-10.9	37.3	11.0	39.5	-1.3	27.5	-26.3	32.4	-11.2	31.3	-14.7
May	37.0	1.4	44.8	25.8	40.9	-2.6	31.6	-12.2	36.2	1.7	36.0	-0.3
Jun	39.2	0.5	40.0	4.2	46.1	-7.1	37.8	5.6	38.4	4.6	38.2	-0.5
Jul	37.3	0.3	39.3	5.9	39.3	-12.1	33.2	-21.7	37.0	5.7	37.0	0.3
Aug	38.1	4.4	38.5	-4.2	41.9	-2.1	35.7	4.4	36.7	8.6	38.5	4.9
Sep	38.7	4.3	39.0	6.8	42.5	4.2	35.3	-8.8	37.7	3.9	38.8	5.7
Oct	33.9	1.8	33.5	-13.4	38.8	-3.0	27.5	-10.1	32.8	2.8	34.0	6.3
Nov	34.6	1.5	36.5	-7.8	39.0	4.3	33.6	3.7	32.2	-3.6	35.4	6.6
Dec	37.9	-0.3	32.3	-0.9	40.9	-8.5	40.1	0.5	37.7	1.1	37.7	0.5
2015 Jan	36.4	-0.5	31.6	-12.2	38.9	-12.6	37.4	8.4	37.5	2.2	35.1	0.6
Feb	37.3	8.4	32.9	-7.8	44.0	7.1	34.9	9.1	37.2	4.2	36.4	14.5
Mar	36.4	-1.4	43.2	7.7	38.7	-5.6	33.2	-3.2	36.0	-0.6	35.7	-1.7
Apr	37.2	13.4	39.1	4.8	36.0	-8.9	42.6	54.9	37.8	16.7	36.3	16.0
May	37.9	2.4	44.5	-0.7	40.7	-0.5	37.0	17.1	38.9	7.5	35.8	-0.6
Jun	39.6	1.0	41.0	2.5	46.8	1.5	41.0	8.5	39.1	1.8	38.0	-0.5
Jul	37.0	-0.8	41.7	6.1	40.3	2.5	34.5	3.9	37.1	0.3	35.6	-3.8
Aug	36.7	-3.7	43.8	13.8	41.7	-0.5	28.5	-20.2	34.7	-5.4	36.9	-4.2
Sep												
Oct												
Nov												
Dec												
Average:												
Jan-Aug14	36.5		39.0		41.8		33.3		36.2		35.5	
Jan-Aug15	37.3		39.7		40.9		36.1		37.3		36.2	
% Change	2.1		2.0		-2.2		8.4		3.1		2.0	

* Average Actual Hours, All Workers, Main Job / Monthly percent changes are calculated as month over same month previous year

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3.5B B.C. INDUSTRIAL COMPARISON - AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS WORKED*

	All Service Producing Industries		Transport. and Warehousing		Retail and Wholesale Trade		Finance & Related		Selected Breakout of Community & Personal Service								Public Administration		Total All Industries	
									Profess., Scient. & Tech Services		Educational Services		Health Care & Social Assist.		Accommod. & Food Serv.					
	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg	Hrs	% Chg
2005	31.5		36.5		31.0		32.9		35.0		28.4		29.9		29.4		32.6		32.6	
2006	31.5	0.0	37.0	1.4	31.4	1.3	32.1	-2.4	34.4	-1.7	28.0	-1.4	30.0	0.3	29.2	-0.7	32.8	0.6	32.5	-0.3
2007	31.7	0.6	37.1	0.3	32.0	1.9	32.6	1.6	34.9	1.5	28.4	1.4	29.1	-3.0	28.9	-1.0	32.8	0.0	32.9	1.2
2008	31.3	-1.3	35.9	-3.2	31.2	-2.5	32.2	-1.2	34.1	-2.3	29.3	3.2	29.4	1.0	28.1	-2.8	32.7	-0.3	32.4	-1.5
2009	30.4	-2.9	35.0	-2.5	30.4	-2.6	32.3	0.3	33.1	-2.9	26.1	-10.9	28.3	-3.7	27.9	-0.7	33.1	1.2	31.3	-3.4
2010	30.5	0.3	35.5	1.4	30.6	0.7	32.0	-0.9	33.7	1.8	27.6	5.7	28.6	1.1	27.6	-1.1	33.1	0.0	31.8	1.6
2011	30.5	0.0	34.7	-2.3	30.5	-0.3	31.3	-2.2	33.0	-2.1	28.4	2.9	28.7	0.3	27.2	-1.4	32.5	-1.8	31.6	-0.6
2012	31.0	1.6	35.6	2.6	30.9	1.3	33.3	6.4	34.2	3.6	29.1	2.5	29.1	1.4	27.9	2.6	32.5	0.0	32.1	1.6
2013	30.9	-0.3	35.2	-1.1	31.3	1.3	32.9	-1.2	34.1	-0.3	28.6	-1.7	28.8	-1.0	28.0	0.4	32.0	-1.5	31.9	-0.6
2014	30.1	-2.6	35.4	0.6	30.3	-3.2	31.7	-3.6	32.3	-5.3	25.0	-12.6	28.5	-1.0	28.2	0.7	31.3	-2.2	31.3	-1.9
2014 Jan	31.1	-2.2	37.5	5.9	30.0	-6.3	33.5	6.3	33.6	-5.9	30.4	-1.6	29.9	-0.7	26.9	-0.7	33.4	-1.8	32.1	-1.8
Feb	30.7	-0.3	36.6	4.0	30.5	-1.0	34.2	9.3	33.1	-6.5	27.9	-4.5	29.9	5.3	27.6	4.2	31.2	-3.7	31.4	-0.3
Mar	31.3	-0.9	36.1	-0.8	31.4	-1.3	35.7	6.3	33.3	-5.9	28.5	-2.4	29.8	1.7	28.1	0.7	31.8	-3.6	32.4	0.0
Apr	28.0	-12.2	32.4	-12.0	28.6	-10.3	28.1	-16.4	28.9	-20.4	25.9	-15.4	26.7	-10.4	26.8	-2.5	27.5	-15.9	29.0	-11.6
May	31.1	-1.0	35.9	1.7	31.2	-5.2	33.2	-1.8	32.6	-3.6	28.7	-4.3	29.2	-0.3	29.3	8.9	32.0	2.2	32.3	-0.3
Jun	30.7	-5.5	37.4	4.5	31.4	-2.8	32.7	-7.9	33.7	-6.9	18.7	-42.1	29.0	-3.7	29.2	4.3	33.6	-1.2	32.4	-4.1
Jul	29.9	-1.6	35.3	0.9	30.6	-2.2	31.4	-10.8	31.5	-6.5	15.6	-19.2	28.2	4.8	30.3	1.7	32.6	6.2	31.4	-1.3
Aug	28.8	-2.7	34.8	0.6	30.6	-4.4	29.5	-11.4	31.7	-2.2	14.9	-12.9	26.6	-3.6	28.9	-1.4	31.0	5.8	30.7	-1.0
Sep	30.7	-4.1	36.5	2.8	31.0	-0.6	33.5	-0.3	34.4	-2.5	21.5	-34.7	29.3	-5.2	28.6	-4.7	32.1	-4.7	32.3	-2.1
Oct	28.5	0.4	34.8	0.9	27.8	-4.8	29.1	0.3	30.7	3.0	26.7	-5.3	26.6	-1.1	27.5	3.0	29.3	1.4	29.6	1.0
Nov	28.1	-1.7	32.7	2.5	27.9	-2.4	26.4	-12.9	29.6	-3.0	25.2	-6.3	27.5	-0.4	26.4	-3.6	29.8	1.0	29.4	-1.0
Dec	32.0	0.9	35.5	-1.4	32.6	1.9	33.0	-2.7	33.9	-2.9	31.4	-2.5	29.9	2.7	29.1	0.3	31.5	-9.0	33.2	0.9
2015 Jan	31.5	1.3	35.0	-6.7	31.9	6.3	32.9	-1.8	33.7	0.3	32.1	5.6	29.5	-1.3	27.3	1.5	33.7	0.9	32.5	1.2
Feb	31.6	2.9	35.8	-2.2	32.2	5.6	33.5	-2.0	33.5	1.2	30.8	10.4	29.1	-2.7	28.2	2.2	34.3	9.9	32.7	4.1
Mar	29.8	-4.8	34.7	-3.9	31.4	0.0	31.0	-13.2	33.9	1.8	20.6	-27.7	28.1	-5.7	26.9	-4.3	31.5	-0.9	31.1	-4.0
Apr	32.5	16.1	35.9	10.8	32.4	13.3	34.2	21.7	36.2	25.3	32.0	23.6	29.7	11.2	29.1	8.6	34.7	26.2	33.4	15.2
May	31.7	1.9	34.4	-4.2	32.1	2.9	32.8	-1.2	33.1	1.5	32.6	13.6	29.6	1.4	28.7	-2.0	34.1	6.6	32.9	1.9
Jun	32.1	4.6	37.1	-0.8	32.1	2.2	33.7	3.1	34.6	2.7	31.2	66.8	30.7	5.9	27.4	-6.2	34.9	3.9	33.6	3.7
Jul	30.6	2.3	38.7	9.6	31.6	3.3	33.0	5.1	34.8	10.5	16.7	7.1	29.0	2.8	29.1	-4.0	33.5	2.8	31.9	1.6
Aug	30.2	4.9	37.3	7.2	32.1	4.9	28.4	-3.7	33.6	6.0	16.4	10.1	28.6	7.5	29.5	2.1	31.8	2.6	31.5	2.6
Sep																				
Oct																				
Nov																				
Dec																				
Average:																				
Jan-Aug14	30.2		35.8		30.5		32.3		32.3		23.8		28.7		28.4		31.6		31.5	
Jan-Aug15	31.3		36.1		32.0		32.4		34.2		26.6		29.3		28.3		33.6		32.5	
% Change	3.5		1.0		4.7		0.5		5.8		11.4		2.2		-0.4		6.1		3.1	

* Average Actual Hours, All Workers, Main Job / Monthly percent changes are calculated as month over same month previous year

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B.C. EARNINGS AND EMPLOYMENT TRENDS

This is a monthly report designed to assist analysts monitoring changes in inter-provincial and inter-industrial earnings and employment levels. The report provides figures on persons employed and actual dollars earned. Primary emphasis, however, is placed on the 'percentage change' data to help highlight recent trends and/or structural shifts.

Definitions and Explanatory Notes

Average Hourly Wage Rate & Average Weekly Wage Rate

Beginning January 1997, information is collected on the usual wages or salary of employees at their main job. Respondents are asked to report their wage/salary before taxes and other deductions, and include tips, commissions and bonuses.

Average Weekly Hours Worked

Average actual number of hours worked per week, main job, is calculated by dividing total hours by the total number of employed persons. When a respondent holds more than one job or business, the job or business involving the greatest number of usual hours worked is considered to be the main job.

Constant Dollar or Real (after inflation) Average Weekly Wage Rate

Average weekly wage rates, as defined above, minus the rate of inflation as measured by the applicable B.C. or Canada consumer price index.

Employment (derived from Labour Force Survey, Cat No. 71-001) (Actual)

All persons during the reference week who either a) did any work for pay or profit, or b) had a job but were absent because of illness, weather, vacation, labour disputes, or personal or family responsibility.

Employment by Industry

Employment by industry is based on the North American Industrial Classification System (NAICS).